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SB 2085 RELATING TO A PARK RANGER PROGRAM

Statement for
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Ecology, Environment and Recreation
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SB 2085 would establish and fund a state park ranger program to provide for greater supervision and security in state parks. Our statement on SB 2085 does not represent an institutional position of the University of Hawaii.

The Environmental Center provided testimony on a house companion bill, HB 61, outlining our general support for the park ranger program and in particular the recognition of the dual responsibilities of the program to provide both police action and the education and guidance to Park visitors.